NARRATIVE

I.   Public Law 262-2017 Consolidation Process

    A. Identification
        1. List Lake County voter status counts by precinct*
        2. Per city, town and township, list each precinct under 600.
        3. Prepare appropriate legislative district documentation*.
        4. Print and assemble corresponding maps *

    B. Consolidation
        1. Consolidate each verified under 600 precinct with one or more adjoining precincts, according to boundary standards in 3-11-1.5-4 or 3-11 -1.5-5.
        2. Limit precinct consolidation size to 1391 active voters (highest current precinct size is 1391)**
        3. Presuming full precinct board attendance on Election Day, ascertain payroll savings, verify against actual 2016 General payroll*
           a. Payroll savings indicated on top right hand corner of city/town page.
        4. Review existing polling place combinations as well as future optimizations*
        5. Review modeling of shortest and longest polling place distances.*
        6. Ascertain and review highway, bridge, water and other potential location detriments for future polling locations.
        7. Watch and keep intact city district configurations. Base comparisons on current precincts versus future consolidated precincts.
        8. Gather input from public officials, county office holders, city, town, and township chairmen, precinct committeemen and most importantly from citizen voters.

    C. Establishment Order
        1. File the proposed order by completing:
           a. All relevant IEC 8`s.
           b. All mapping.
           c. All census block documentation.

        *   See exhibit example.

        **   Cedar Lake has 1391 active voters today and the County has 11 <u>precincts with over 1200 active voters.</u>